GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CULTURE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3798
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BRING BACK OF KOHINOOR DIAMOND
SIMRANJIT SINGH MANN

Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether any steps has been taken by the Government to file a claim for the Kohinoor Diamond with the British authorities;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the achievements made in this regard; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor ?

Answer

MINISTER OF TOURISM & CULTURE (SHRI JAGMOHAN)

(a) to (c) : As per the information provided by Ministry of External Affairs they are in touch with the concerned authorities in London through our High Commission in London in order to explore ways and means for a satisfactory resolution of the matter.